GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Sub: Public Servants – Endowments Department – TTD – Revision Petition – Smt. S.Sobha Rani, Executive Officer, Gr-II, Sri Madhava and Anjaneya Swamy Devasthanam, Peddapasupula (V), Peddamodium (M), Y.S.R. Kadapa District – Under the A.P. Executive Officers Disciplinary (Control and Appeal) Rules, 1977 framed U/s 27 of the Act 1966 – Disciplinary proceedings instituted – Punishment of stoppage of Two(2) increments with cumulative effect – Revision petition filed against the orders passed by the Commissioner, Endowment Department, A.P., before the Government – Allowed and prayer considered – orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE-VII) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 116 **Dated: 13-02-2025**

Read the following:

1. Proceedings of the Commissioner, Endowment Department, Andhra Pradesh in Rc.No.V3/20026/6/2022, Dated: 31.03.2022
2. Proceedings in D.Dis No.V3/20026/6/2022 dated: 25.09.2023 of the Commissioner, Endowments Department, Andhra Pradesh.
3. Revision petition of Smt. S.Sobha Rani , Executive Officer, Gr-ll ,Sri Madhava and Anjaneya Swamy Devasthanam, Peddapasupula (V), Peddamodium (M), Y.S.R. Kadapa District , dt.09.01.2024.

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ORDER:

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, disciplinary proceedings has been instituted against Smt. S.Sobha, Executive Officer, Gr-II on the allegation that she has committed certain irregularities in the administration of Sri Madhava and Anjaneya Swamy Devasthanam, Peddapasupula (V), Peddamodium (M), Y.S.R. Kadapa District such as she failed to follow the instructions issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Endowments Department, Kurnool vide his office Memo. No.B2/2976/2016, Dt:31.07.2020 and she kept quiet on the allegation petition filed by Sri K.Pulla Reddy, Ex-Chairman of the subject temple on 29.07.2020 which sent by the Deputy Commissioner, Endowments Department, Kurnool vide memo Dt:26.08.2020 and also failed to take action regarding conduction of public auction for the landed property as per the orders issued by the Higher ups even though she taken possession of landed property and other Pooja articles duly conducting panchanama on 11.07.2020 in the presence of the village elders, VRO and other departmental officials, which shows her gross negligence while performing her official duties etc.

2. After conducting the regular enquiry and following the due procedure under relevant rules, the Commissioner, Endowment Department has inflicted

punishment of stoppage of two (2) increments with cumulative effect against Smt. S.Sobha, Executive Officer, Gr-II as (2) charges are proved and remaining (6)charges are partially proved against the individual regarding the above said allegations, in the reference 2nd read above.

3. Aggrieved by the above orders, Smt. S.Sobha, Executive Officer, Gr-II has filed revision petition before the Government in the reference 3rd read above duly submitting charge wise explanation, requested the Government to vacate the orders passed by the Commissioner, Endowment Dept., Andhra Pradesh issued vide reference 2nd read above

4. The revision petition of the appellant Smt. S.Sobha, Executive Officer, Gr-II has been examined with reference to the connected records and a personal hearing has been conducted on 12.11.2024 by the competent authority in this regard. After hearing the case, Government have decided to allow the appeal and to consider the plea of the appellant.

5. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby allowed the revision petition/appeal filed by Smt. S.Sobha, Executive Officer, Gr-II and order to set aside the punishment of stoppage two (2) increments with cumulative effect imposed by the Commissioner of Endowments in the reference 2nd read above.

6. The Commissioner, Endowment Department, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada shall take necessary further action accordingly.

V.VINAY CHAND
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Smt. S.Sobha Rani , Executive Officer, Gr-ll ,Sri Madhava and Anjaneya Swamy Devasthanam, Peddapasupula (V), Peddamodium (M), Y.S.R. Kadapa District through Commissioner of Endowment Department, A.P
The Commissioner, Endowment Department, A.P., Vijayawada.
Copy to:
The P.S to Hon'ble Minister for Endowments,
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SECTION OFFICER